



DAHL LAND & CATTLE CO.

RED ANGUS • SOUTH DEVON • COMPOSTIES

**Tuesday,
May 6, 2014**

1 p.m. CDT

Napoleon Livestock, Napoleon, ND

Sale Day Phone: 1-800-932-8821

Selling in Catalog Order:

60 Range-Ready Yearling Bulls

125 Yearling Replacement Females

This sale will be broadcast live on the internet.

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Welcome to



Jack

Dan

JD

Jeff

"Heterosis Headquarters"

43rd Annual Production Sale

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Jack – (701) 485-3206

Welcome to Dahl Land & Cattle Co.'s 43rd Annual Sale!

2014 looks like it's shaping up to be another great year in the cattle industry. Cowherd numbers are at record lows and cattle prices are at record highs. That is a tough combination to beat! One of the biggest advantages of a planned crossbreeding program is calf vigor at birth and hardiness of a cowherd. We all remember that 2012 and 2013 were challenging years environmentally, not only in N.D. but nationally as well. They were years that tested the hardiness of cattle and producers alike with drought and cold temperatures requiring extra feed. As a testament to the hardiness and fertility of our cattle, this fall at pregnancy check time, we had 96 2-year-old cows that weaned their first calf. Of those 96 there were only four that failed to rebreed.

Our goal is to produce cattle with low birth weights that perform well with no creep to mask what nature can produce. In other words, we are looking for genetics that will give us a big spread from birth to weaning and beyond. At the same time our cattle must be structurally functional and be fertile. It is a fairly lofty goal and one we continue to work diligently on.

When we ultrasounded the bulls the technician said, "These bulls are hard." The bulls have been on a 54 mega-calorie ration of 10 lbs. of ground oat/pea/alfalfa hay, 6 lbs. of wet distiller's grain and 9 lbs. of cracked corn per day. During the feed trial

we had several bulls gaining over 4 lbs. per day. Of the 63 bulls listed in the sale, 46 gained over 3.0 lbs. per day. That's pretty impressive when you consider we've had 70-plus days of zero or below-zero temperatures this winter.

We are again starting the sale with a large group of replacement heifers. As always, these heifers come right from the heart of the replacement heifers we raised. The heifers have been grown and not pushed. They were on a 35 mega-calorie ration of 14 lbs. of ground oat/pea/alfalfa hay, 6 lbs. of wet distiller's grain and 2 lbs. of cracked corn. We advertise that we are the "Program that Builds Cowherds." A cowherd is by its very nature maternal. Webster defines "maternal" as: "Of relating to, belonging to or characteristic of a mother; motherly." We would add to that one culling criteria for maintaining a maternal cowherd; if you have to run a cow in the chute for any reason except normal processing or to help with a mis-presented calf at birth, she's not maternal enough. It's a goal we strive for.

In closing, we want to thank you for your continued support and confidence in our program. We look forward to serving you in the future. We also want to thank Our Lord for bringing us together again, for helping us with our decisions and for providing our nation and ourselves with countless blessings.

*Sincerely,
The Dahls*

Bull Credit

If you purchased females from us in 2013, you can receive a \$100 credit towards the purchase of a Dahl Land & Cattle Co. bull.

Yearling Bull Data

- 83 lbs. – Avg. Actual BW
- 716 lbs. – Avg. Adj. 205 Wt.
- 1161 lbs. – Avg. Adj. 365 Wt.

50% of the yearling sale bulls are considered calving-ease bulls.

Calving-Ease Code

- * Use only on cows
- ** Use on cows & heifers with a known birth weight and calving ease history
- *** Use on heifers and all cows

Our recommendations are based on our cow female histories for birth weights and calving ease. Also, with aid from EPDs based on our reference sires and the individual animal.

FUTURE RED ANGUS HERD SIRES



LCOC DENIRO A024Z

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RED POLLED 100% 1A #1510881

LEACHMAN DENIRO A090X

{ LCOC ROMERO A07T
{ SRN TYRA 7155

SN FORTUNE 7011

{ LCOC HIGH NOON A093R
{ SRN MS. FORTUNE 5111

BD	BW
3/7/12	76
205 WT	WR
692	
365 WT	YR
1104	
%IMF	REA
4.27	12.89
FAT	DAM'S MPPA
0.27	5/101.5

EPDs/BREED RANKING

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	TM	ME	HPG	CEM	Stay	Marb	YG	CW	REA	Fat
13	-5.6	52	87	22	48	4	6	6	14	0.79	0.01	14	0.24	0.01
2%	3%	61%	46%	19%	34%	72%	95%	28%	13%	5%	48%	65%	28%	60%

We bought this bull at Leachman's 2013 spring sale. He combines a very high feed-efficiency rating with built-in calving ease. His first calves this spring have born easy and look good.



KOESTER MAGNUM 139

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RED POLLED 99.7% 1B #1497123

LJC MAGNUM 014W

{ LJC MISSION STATEMENT P27
{ LJC DYNA 522 014

KOESTER MS BIG SKY 721

{ FEDES BIG SKY R9
{ KOESTER MISS HOLLIDAY 515

BD	BW
9/20/11	80
205 WT	WR
638	100
365 WT	YR
1098	98
%IMF	REA
2.55	13.47
FAT	DAM'S MPPA
0.21	4/98.5

EPDs/BREED RANKING

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	TM	ME	HPG	CEM	Stay	Marb	YG	CW	REA	Fat
5	-4.4	56	88	19	47	-2	12	3	14	0.54	-0.12	16	0.41	-0.01
36%	8%	44%	44%	46%	41%	29%	13%	71%	9%	25%	9%	60%	11%	22%

Purchased at Koester's 2013 sale. A bull with all the credentials to be a calving-ease sire and his first calf crop certainly is!



Red Crowfoot Ole's Oscar, sire

DLC'S OSCAR 1191

RED POLLED 100% 1A #1457359

RED CROWFOOT OLE'S OSCAR

{ MLK CRK CUB 722
{ RED CROWFOOT OMEGA 9179J

DLC MISS CLASSIC 4444

{ BADLANDS CLASSIC 069
{ DLC MS LADIES MAN 143

BD	BW
3/30/11	68
205 WT	WR
586	85
365 WT	YR
1025	90
%IMF	REA
2.23	13.11
FAT	DAM'S MPPA
0.15	7/91.3

EPDs/BREED RANKING

CED	BW	WW	YW	Milk	TM	ME	HPG	CEM	Stay	Marb	YG	CW	REA	Fat
6	-5.3	39	62	13	32	-0	5	9	6	0.48	-0.08	-1	0.11	0.00
28%	4%	91%	89%	88%	97%	33%	98%	9%	91%	35%	17%	93%	47%	44%

Our pick of our 2011 Oscar sons for a calving-ease sire. We were right. He definately is a good one.

FUTURE SOUTH DEVON HERD SIRE

MJB ROMEO 337Z

BLACK SCURRED PUREBRED #201824

MJB ROMEO 125R

{ CIMARRON CASSANOVA 354N
{ MJB NIKKI 3657N

MJB SHERIDAN 6867S

{ DLCC SURE-ENUF
{ MJB REMI 8541H

BD	BW
3/7/12	71
205 WT	WR
692	106
365 WT	YR
1119	103
%IMF	REA
FAT	RFI
	-0.24

EPDs/BREED RANKING

BW	WW	YW	MILK	MWW	FAT	REA	MARB	RBY	C.WT
+0.1	+44	+83	+25	+47	-0.01	+0.16	+0.4	+1.0	+29.9

Purchased from Jim Brown at the 2013 Midland Bull Test Sale. His first calves born this spring have come easy and are outstanding in phenotype.



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